

Please join us for a special Black History Month interfaith community program

Shared Legacies

Black-Jewish Relations and the Civil Rights Movement

Sunday, February 21, 5:30—7:00 PM

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The Black and Jewish communities have had a powerful alliance dating back to well before the civil rights movement of the 1960s. Jewish leaders marched arm in arm with Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., backing efforts at racial equality and harmony.

The film [Shared Legacies: The African-American Jewish Civil Rights Alliance](#) (view [trailer](#)), tells this powerful story and is available free of charge for viewing at home Friday, February 19—Monday, February 22. The film link will be sent upon registration.

A panel discussion via Zoom will be held on Sunday, February 21 at 5:30 PM featuring:

Rev. Dr. Michael Christie, Union Baptist Church

Rabbi Joshua Hammerman, Temple Beth El, Stamford

Shari Rogers, Director/Producer, “Shared Legacies: The African-American Jewish Civil Rights Alliance”

Rev. Michael Hyman, Advisor, The Equity Institute @ Domus,
Co-Chair, Stamford Stands Against Racism

Moderated by Rev. Dr. Stephen Pogue, Vice Chair, Westchester Human Rights Commission, and Pastor, Greater Centennial Church, Mt. Vernon

We will also hear local stories about the Civil Rights Movement, including:

Rabbi Philip Schechter • Mother Blanche Sumpter

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